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| In re Application of: David Alan Burton et al. | Examiner: Shahid Al Alam |
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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Examiner Alam:

In response to the Office action dated May 17, 2006, please enter the amendment and
consider the remarks: